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OHIO CO. TEACHERS INSTITUTE.

Dr. Chas. Ellis In Charge
As Instructor.

Fine Body of Men and Women
Who Teach Young Idea How
To Shoot.

The Ohio County Teachers' Institute convened in court hall last Monday morning, with Superintendent James M. DeWeese as presiding officer and Dr. Charles C. Ellis instructor. Mr. W. F. Anderson was elected secretary. The morning session was taken up practically with making out the roll. At the afternoon session the instructor gave an interesting talk on "Business of a Public School." Prof. Mason discussed the subject of "Teacher's Preparation" in an able and instructive manner. He was followed by Prof. Justice on "How to Grow Professionally." Tuesday morning was given over principally to an address by the instructor on the subject of "Opening Exercises of the school." The question box was then opened on the subject of "What is it to Teach?" A number of good answers were given. Dr. Ellis discussed the subject in an able manner, giving as his definition "Teaching is Intellectual Companionship." At the afternoon session, Prof. Eubank discussed the question of having a program and how to use it. Tuesday night, Dr. Ellis gave a lecture on "Being a Boy," which was an intellectual treat to all who heard it. Wednesday morning devotional exercises were conducted by Prof. W. R. Hedrick, after which Dr. Ellis discussed the subject of Language. He was followed by Mr. Eubank on the subject of "Handling language lessons." Prof. I. S. Mason gave a talk on the great need of clear pronunciation and the importance of having a good dictionary at hand. Prof. G. W. White introduced a resolution asking a reduction on the price of the adopted text books for the common school. The motion was defeated by two-thirds vote. Mr. Eubank then gave a talk in behalf of the Southern School Journal. During the afternoon session Dr. Ellis talked on the subject of grammar, and Prof. Bailey gave an address on the subject of school government which was to the point and well received.

The Ohio county teachers make up a splendid body of men and women who are devoted to their work and are doing a great deal of good for the coming generations of times without sufficient pay for their services. They deserve the encouragement and support of all our people. The institute will close to-day.

Prof. C. C. Justice, C. K. Carson, M. C. Willis, A. E. Ellis, Sophie Williams, Blanche Van Meter, Lillian Bir, Mabel Esterday, Marshall Crowe, Alex Rhoads, Gertry Raymond, Bertha Mae Leach, Eula Dunn, Ernie Hinton, Mattie E. Tichenor, Prof. G. E. Bailey, Bra Ragland, Ernest Duke, Albert Baughn, Mrs. J. H. Loyd, Mack Martin, Ida Lambert, Powell Jones, Mae Rogers, Alta Mae Likens, Nona Rhoads, Wayne Midkiff, A. C. Kelley, Jesse Byers, N. B. White, Anna Liza Owen, Arbye Brown, Roy Bennett, Walter Hedrick, Ellis Sanderfur, Ross Bennett, Fred Woodburn, Herman Ashby, Geo. Montgomery, Otis Wallace, Cortlan Taylor, Mrs. Florence Keown, Russell Cooper, Ethel Ralnes, Lucy Rock, Katie Hawkins, Loney Taylor, Myrtle Williams, V. M. Crowder, Lizzie Harrod, F. G. Miller, H. C. Crowder, H. E. Brown, Grace Whittinghill, Abbie Whittinghill, Helen Whittinghill, Otis Carson, Gorda Fuqua, Irene Whittinghill, I. S. Mason, Claud Shultz, J. C. Jackson, Mayme Shown, Cora Wilson, Jessie Raley, J. W. Petty, Ozna Shultz, S. P. McKenney, Ella Norris, R. D. Metzger, F. C. Lawrence, J. W. Loyal, J. S. Loyal, Fred Whittinghill, Rosy Brown, Alpha Brown, Elizabeth Childress, Lute Feland, Mary Miller, Robert Taylor, Rosy Berryman, Maude Shultz, Belle Berryman, Scott Ambrose, Tom Hamilton, Owen Ambrose, Eva Martin, Minnie Baughn, J. D. Falls, Russell Walker, E. F. Liles, J. T. Hoagland, Lillian Monroe, Meek Bell, Ailie Fielden, W. R. Carson, Dena Woodward, Danie Beck, Iva Cummings, Ruth Hammons, Jesse Ford,

O. L. Greer, S. C. Taylor, H. T. Leach, C. B. Shown, Nora Wedding, Dova Greer, C. W. Moseley, Ira Plummer, Leslie Shultz, Earl Smith, John Allen, Myrtle Lambert, Mary Lambert, Grace Williams, N. A. Embry, L. L. Embry, Mrs. Mary White, Effie Elsier, Maude Stewart, Isaac Christian, B. H. Morris, Mary Marks, George White, H. H. Davis, Frona King, W. S. Hill, Henry Leach, A. P. Boswell, Eva Martin, O. N. Stewart, and F. T. Westerfield.

Rowan-Bennett.

On the evening of Oct. 6th, 1909, in the home of W. C. Bennett, father of the bride, in the presence of a number of friends, Mr. Richard Ney Rowan and Miss Etta May Bennett were quietly married by Rev. R. D. Bennett. The bride was tastefully attired in a gown of lavender silk. The groom wore a handsome suit of black. The groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Azro Rowan and the bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bennett. They are both popular young people in the circle of their acquaintance.

On the same day of the same month twenty-two years ago the father of the groom was married by the same minister and drove the same horse the son drove when he was married. The father of the groom still owns the horse. Who can beat this?

R. D. BENNETT.

To the Voters of Ohio County.

My name has recently been placed on the Republican ticket for the office of Coroner of Ohio county, made vacant by a resignation therefrom. Owing to the fact that the election is so near I shall be unable to make any canvass to meet the people of the county. However, I desire to take this method of assuring them that I will appreciate any support which they may give me and if elected, will endeavor to discharge the duties of the office, which should be one of the greatest importance, to the best of my ability. Respectfully,

A. B. RILEY, M. D.

Among the Lodges.

The Masonic Grand Lodge will meet in Louisville, Tuesday morning and Hartford Lodge will be represented by the Master, C. M. Barnett. At the same time the Grand Chapter will hold its sessions and will be represented by the newly elected Excellent High Priest, R. Holbrook.

Hartford Chapter No. 8 of the Order of Eastern Star, held an interesting meeting Monday night and initiated Misses Ruth Riley and Verna Duke. Mrs. A. S. Yowell, Owensboro, and Mr. Ernest Duke, Dundee, were welcome visitors. After the meeting refreshments were served by Miss Willie Smith, Mesdames S. A. Anderson, E. W. Ford and F. L. Felix.

Rough River Lodge No. 110, Knights of Pythias held an interesting session Tuesday night with a large attendance of the membership and the first and second ranks were conferred in splendid form. When the lodge work had been completed members and visitors were invited to the banquet hall where a splendid feast awaited them which was thoroughly enjoyed. The committee on refreshments was made up of Knights R. D. Walker, E. W. Ford and S. T. Barnett.

RALPH.

October 12.—Meeting closed at the Baptist church Sunday night with ten additions to the church.

Prof. Chas. W. Moseley was out seeing his friends last week. Ronda Wad taught school in his absence.

Mr. Ollie Bean has begun the work on Ronda Wade's new residence.

The baptizing at Mr. Wade's pond was largely attended.

Prof. Marshall Crowe, who is teaching school in the southern part of this county is at home. We are glad to see our old friend and school mate. "Wish" as we all call him, has the best wishes of us all.

Mr. Lon McPherson's two little boys, Blair and Wayman, of Magan, are visiting their uncle, L. A. Ralph. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ralph was the guest of J. F. Taylor last week.

Mr. Rob Taylor and C. W. Moseley are attending the institute this week. Farmers are very busy sowing wheat and baling hay.

We think Robt. Taylor is preparing to resume his regular work in his old place at J. A. Edge & Son's store.

Mr. Claud Jackson Westerfield, was the guest of J. F. Taylor Sunday. Center of attractions, Miss Nole.

REPUBLICAN NOMINEES

Candidates For Assessor,
School Supt. and Jailer.

All Good Men and True—Interests
of County Safe in Their
Hands.

Our readers are herewith presented with short sketches of three more of the Republican nominees for county offices in Ohio county. The list includes the nominees for Assessor, Superintendent and Jailer. All three of the nominees are first class men and are deserving of the support of Republicans and Independent Democrats at the coming November election.



Bernard Felix was born June 25th, 1873, on a farm five miles east of Hartford and is the son of John I. Felix, who was well known in all of his section of the county for his honesty and splendid qualities as a christian gentleman and neighbor. Mr. Felix's father was a Union soldier during the civil war and served with distinction. Young Felix has from his early boyhood days and until now been actively engaged in farm work and has been successful in his avocation. He has a good education and is qualified for the duties of Assessor which he will assume on the first day of January, 1910.

For several hours a declaration of war was on all the speeches were on the it was a meeting of the committee of the union as for its purpose collective retailers in the middle west back on the corset strings was d by President W. H. Garrison, Iowa, as "unfair, and illegal and an injury to the classes and laboring people and the burden of the extra long pull and a strong pull together on the corset and we will break the trust," said another speaker.

Damaging of All Policies.

Trade is the most damaging of all, when considered in relation to American wage-earners, because it tends to direct competition with the ill-paid Old World. It is the American that largely supports industries, and the value product of our mills and factories the combined manufacture



W. P. Midkiff Republican nominee for Jailer of Ohio County, was born in 1870, near Magan, on a farm. He is the son of G. R. Midkiff, who was a brave Union soldier during the civil war. Mr. Midkiff left the farm in 1905, and located near Rockport, where he has since been engaged in work in the coal mines. He is a member of the Miner's Union and stands high with all the members of that organization. Mr. Midkiff has developed into a successful campaigner and on the Republican ticket. He is

thoroughly competent to fill the position which he seeks.

SMALLHOUS.

Mesdames Sabe and Lillie Bennett, Bada, Ky. were the guests of their brother, Mr. Alva Calloway and family, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Wayne Smith and wife and Mrs. Elizabeth Coy, of Grayson Co. Ky. are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Godsey were called to Greyson, Co. to see her brother who is paralyzed.

Mrs. Robert Hunter was agreeably surprised by a visit from an old time friend, Mrs. Charlie Hendrick, of Central City last Friday. It had been thirteen years since they had seen each other. Mrs. Hendrick was accompanied by Mrs. John Blackburn, of Central City.

Miss Jule Boone is a guest of her brother, John Boone and family at Echols.

Mr. Fred Boone and family went to Echols and returned Thursday. They were the guests of Mr. John Boone and family.

Mr. M. P. Maddox and daughter, Miss Oona were at Rockport Wednesday.

Mesdames O. W. Overhultz and Jennie Ball went to Centertown Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Cuz Mason sold over 125 gallons of green beans last week.

Misses Era Addington, Ora Brown Georgia Ashby, of near Whitous Creek and Messrs. Berry Brown, Jon Brown, of near Kirtley and Luther Addington were visitors to Sunday school last Sunday.

Mr. Herman Addington spent several days at Owensboro last week. He was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Ball there.

Miss Oona Maddox was a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Hill several days last week, near South Carrollton. She accompanied her mother home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Luther Addington and sister, Miss Altha went to Centertown Tuesday.

Messrs. Ferguson and Allen Huskili, of Moorman are building a room on the R. R. bridge at Smallhouse Ky. for the bridge men. Guess the boys are glad to see the work going on as they have been sleeping on the bridge without any shelter from rain or the cold air of nights.

Mr. O. W. Overhultz has received a card from his cousin, Mrs. Athel Grieves of St. Louis, Mo. saying that her mother, Mrs. Mary Kelsling Eldon, Mo. will be here Tuesday Oct. 12 for a visit to him and other relatives at Smallhouse and Ceralvo.

Messrs. Herman Addington, Robert Hunter and Luther Addington went to Hartford last Tuesday.

Messrs. O. W. Overhultz and Erskine, of Fulkerson are cutting and hauling a lot of saw-logs for the Evansville market.

Mr. P. B. Taylor and wife, Hartford are the guests of her sisters, Mesdames George Reid and Sallie Drake.

Mr. Joe Brown is at home on a furlough from the army.

Mr. Danie Hill and daughter, Ruth have returned from New Mexico where they have been for some time.

Mr. John Fulkerson has returned home from a trip to Mississippi.

ROSINE.

Oct. 12.—Health is good in this community.

Farmers are busy sowing wheat. Sunday school is progressing nicely at this place.

The new Methodist church is completed at this place. The dedication was postponed on account of rain last Sunday. It will be next second Sunday.

Little Martha Hunter, who has been sick, is able to be out again.

Little Gable Alford, who has been sick for some time, is some better.

Mr. John Burden, wife and little daughter, Alva Myrtle, visited Tom Hines and family last Sunday night.

Eugan Wilson, of Fair View, visited his sister, Artie Hines, Tuesday night.

Tom Hines and wife attended the fair at Owensboro Friday.

BUFORD.

A great revival has just closed at Mt. Carmel Baptist church which was conducted by Evangelist Dan Richard. Fifty two additions to the church with thirty-nine candidates for Baptism "Grandma Holbrook," 79 years of age, gladdened our hearts by joining at the waters edge and was there baptised.

TRUE AND LOYAL IS G. DAVIS ROYAL

Strong Letter From Late
Candidate Before Primary.

Enthusiastic For Entire Ticket
and Hints That He May
Run Another Day.

To the Republicans of Ohio county:

Four times I have been a candidate for county offices, subject to the action of the Republican party, and three times I was defeated, being defeated in our Primary last December, by our next Assessor, Mr. Bernard Felix, and I can truly say, that while I was deeply disappointed, and somewhat humiliated, as I had held the Assessor's office one term, and felt that my record and acquaintance would count heavily for me, yet there has never been a moment of time since the primary that I have not been thoroughly and enthusiastically for Mr. Felix and the ticket.

I did not become a Republican for "revenue only" but I became a Republican when it was socially unpleasant to be one; when most of my relatives and dear friends that I loved were Democrats; when our neighborhood was Democratic; when our voting precinct was Democratic; when our county was Democratic; when our Senatorial, Judicial and Congressional districts and State were Democratic, and when I was 14 years of age (Cleveland was elected President, so everything seemed Democratic.

While defeated last fall, I am proud of the vote in my home and nearby precincts, with Mr. Greer, a good strong young man living in my home precinct, opposing me; yet I received 242 votes in East and West Fordsville, Aetnaville, Herbert, Magan and Ralph precincts, to 78 for Mr. Felix, 27 for Mr. Greer and 12 for Mr. Allen, a clear majority of 125 over all. I received 23, in Aetnaville to 1 for Mr. Greer. God bless my home people, the people that know me well personally and officially.

Now in conclusion fellow Republicans, I rather like being a candidate, so you may look for my announcement four years hence, for Assessor, Coroner, or something, and if unsuccessful then four years later, and may conclude in the event I meet defeat in my regular quadrennial efforts, to be "sentenced" to the Legislature between spasms, but whatever you do with me if I run, (and I'll run) remember you can't keep me from wheezing it up for the men that defeat us.

The Republican party doesn't exist in Ohio county for the express benefit of me and my family, nor any other man and his family, and when I announce subject to the action of the Republican party, that settles it for four years, when, if defeated, I may reasonably be counted on to run again. Truly and gratefully yours,

G. DAVIS ROYAL.

Hartford, Ky., Oct. 11, 1909.

ROB ROY.

The young folks enjoyed the picking and candy basking at the home of Mrs. T. Davis Wednesday night.

Mrs. Ferguson and little son Sam, of Owensboro have been visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Emery the past week.

The spelling match at this place was a success and largely attended.

Mrs. Sam Leach is visiting in Beaver Dam, this week.

Misses Mabel and Marie Prior, of Hickory neighborhood spent Friday night with their uncle, Mr. Henry Leach.

Ball Knob and Rob Roy ball team played at this place Saturday afternoon. The game resulted in a victory for Ball Knob, the score being 14 to 8.

Mrs. Luther Leach visited her sister Mrs. Georgia Flenor, at Cromwell Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Torrence spent Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Torrence.

Mrs. Josie Dickson and little daughter spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Len Leach.

Rev. Harper passed through here Friday on his way to Shiloh. Mr. T. Davis and family spent

Saturday night at Cromwell.

Mr. Jesse Torrence moved to Mt. Zion neighborhood this week. We are sorry to lose him from our community.

Miss Harriett Sanderfur is on the sick list.

Rev. Emory left on the boat Tuesday for Woodsonville.

The new pastor, Rev. Harper will preach at Pleasant Hill the third Sunday. We are glad to welcome him in our community.

There will be singing at Pleasant Hill Sunday night. Every body invited Success to The Republican.

CENTRAL GROVE.

Oct. 13.—Death has again entered this community, and removed from our midst, Mrs. Margaret Loney, better known as aunt "Peggy." 'Twas on the evening of October 9, 1909, at 7 p. m., that she surrendered her life, age 88 years on May 8, last. Funeral services were conducted Sunday at West Providence, by Rev. H. P. Brown, after which she was laid to rest to await the resurrection morn. In early life, she professed hope in Christ, and was among those composing the membership of West Providence Baptist church at its organization fifty-six years ago; but at the time of her death, was a member of Independence Baptist church. She leaves many relatives and friends who will miss her as the days go by. Eighty-eight years! That is a long life, and yet the time is short for days, months, and even years pass quickly away, and all—either in childhood, youth, or old age must soon submit to the grim reaper.

Mrs. Louie Williams, of Central City, spent part of last week with friends and relatives here. Miss Myrtle Park was the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Brunton, at Williams Mines, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. E. Q. Cooper attended the Owensboro fair Friday and Saturday.

Mr. T. P. Williams has moved into his new residence.

Miss Mattie Tichenor is attending the institute this week.

Mr. H. L. Brown went to Owensboro last week, in the interest of the A. S. of E.

Mr. Willie Pate attended the fair at Owensboro last week.

CENTERTOWN.

Rev. R. D. Bennett will have charge of our Methodist church for another year, we gladly welcome him as our pastor.

Mr. F. S. Faught made a short visit to Ark. last week, he reports a pleasant trip, and is well pleased with the rich land and forests of the timber.

Our railroad section crew is getting our road in good shape.

F. M. Allen has sold a home on Church street to S. A. Garrett.

O. M. Bishop has his new residence on Main street about ready for occupancy.

Mr. C. L. Brown, who has been attending with E. S. McWhorter, is home on a visit from Ill.

Earl Davis, Wm. Woodford and son are crossing a canal, and are at East Hartford.

A. D. Woodward and wife of Middlesboro, Mo. spent one month here visiting friends and relatives. They were accompanied home by their mother Mrs. M. Woodward.

Dr. G. F. Chapman and family are getting ready to move to Ark. about Nov. 15th.

L. C. McLean and S. M. Fox attended the Owensboro fair last week. The Baptist church has been working on recently. Windows—some I wish adds much to the good looks.

The oyster supper given by the Methodist church Sat. night was a success.

Edmonson-Duke.

Mr. B. C. Edmonson, a prosperous young farmer and Miss Connie Duke, both living near Hartford, were quietly married at the Methodist parsonage in Hartford last Sunday evening. Rev. Virgil Elgin officiating, only a few friends being present. The bride, who has been one of the county's first-class school teachers for the past few years, possesses all that goes to make up the best there is in first-class womanhood. Pretty, intelligent and affable, she starts on life's matrimonial sea with high hopes and bright prospects and Mr. Edmonson is to be congratulated on his choice of a life partner. Their friends are numbered by their acquaintances, all of whom wish them a life full of happiness and joy.

SWEETHEART OF TAFT EXPLAINS

Had No Idea That President Was Going to Mention Their Romance.

North Yakima, Wash., Oct. 10.—Mrs. H. E. Dodge, to whom President Taft alluded during his visit here as an "old sweetheart of mine," today made her first statement regarding her girlhood romance with Mr. Taft. She was found on her ranch in the lower Natchez valley, ten miles from here.

"Mr. Taft and I grew up as children together in Cincinnati," she said, "and from our earliest days we were dear friends, in one sense of the term we were sweethearts, though most people have put an unfortunate interpretation on the word the president used. Our parents went to the same Unitarian church and we took a deep interest in each other."

"During more recent years Mr. Taft was little at his Cincinnati home and I saw him seldom."

"When I heard that Mr. Taft was going to be in Yakima I went down there to see him. He invited me into his private car and introduced me to some of his Washington friends as his old sweetheart. I had no idea he was going to mention it upon the car platform."

"He was not at all like the boy and man I had known at home. I am glad that my old friend was so highly honored and I am proud of him."

Up Before The Bar.

N. H. Brown, an attorney of Pittsfield, Vt., writes: "We have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for years and find them such a good family medicine we wouldn't be without them for Chills, Constipation, Biliousness or Sick Headache they work wonders, 25c at all druggists."

How to Keep your Boy on the Farm.

As we travel along and notice some of our best farms running on the downward course, the question presents itself, Why is this when we know that all the world, city and country alike, depends on the farm for the sustenance of life? Destroy our farms, banish our farmers, what do we behold? The answer is, look at Cuba, the once proud "Pearl of the Antilles," ruin and desolation. We must get farmers to understand the importance of their position in regard to the affairs of life. When farmers realize the importance of their occupation, and unite for mutual protection, then I verily believe the questions of overtaxation and supply and demand will be adjusted.

We must not wait for some other generation to take up these questions, let meet and settle them ourselves. Begin at once—the present is always the accepted time. I would say instill into the young a love for the farm and all that pertains to it, and never for a moment allow them to think of farm life as drudgery or slavery. Sometimes we are farming not because we like the occupation, but because of the force of circumstances. If such be the case, our boys will not become farmers, because they are not taught in that direction. We ourselves disliking the occupations can not be in a position to teach others to like it. In many instances farmers' children lose part of their schooling. Why should they? No good answer is given. We dwell on this as one of the drawbacks. The girls are not often kept at home, we are glad to know, but the boys, we don't mean the big fellows, but the little chaps, ten or twelve years old, must stay at home and lose the chance some of their playmates have. Do you think they love the farm for this? No but their playmates have. Do you think I am sorry to say it creates a feeling, akin to hatred for the farm, when not the farm but methods used should bear the blame, and there is formed in the young mind a determination to leave such a system; and sometimes it is that our young men are driven from the farm, the beautiful farm, their birthright, and go to the now over-crowded cities to seek for something better. Ofttimes, we are sorry to say, they sell their birthright, like Esau of old, for a mess of pottage.

Now when we give our boys proper home training and supplement this by a liberal common school, or perhaps a higher school, education, we do our duty to prepare them to meet the life before them with some knowledge, for without knowledge acquired by some means, how can we do anything? It is said if you educate your boys, they will leave the farm for sure. Some of them may, but not all. We can point to many farmers who are college-bred men. One important point raised is, that farming doesn't pay. Possibly it doesn't, along the old route. You must keep abreast with the times and make it pay. Like any

other business, as time rolls on, farming has undergone a revolution, and we must change with it. The processes and methods employed one hundred years ago will not work successfully to-day, and those who still use them and try to teach them to their boys make a failure of their undertaking.

I would say, take your boys more into your confidence and interest them with the whole working of the farm, and give them a chance to prove themselves. They may have some idea on certain branches that you are doubtful of; set aside a little portion of your land to experiment on, or let them do the experimenting; but don't be too harsh on them, even if they fail, for in experimenting they show the true spirit of the future farmer. Your boy may have a tendency toward fruit and poultry and pigeons take his fancy, or perhaps stock raising is his delight, we say never stop him, for all these and many more not here mentioned belong to the farm. It is true we will be most successful in those things in which we take an interest. We can not expect success in anything if we only take half an interest in it, and if we don't put our whole heart into the subject it will not pay, financially or otherwise.

We need more farmers' institutes and similar institutions, where we can meet and interchange views, and when we attend take all or any of our families who wish to hear what others may have to tell us, and in so doing profit thereby. Let us uphold all helpful and useful plans for the advancement of the farmer's interests, and as we pass from the drama of life our boys may have the opportunity of as good, if not better, field of action.

If we wish our boy to become a doctor, we send him to a medical college, or to the law school to become a lawyer, and by the same reasoning we should give him an agricultural education to become a farmer. The opinion is shared by too many people that to become a farmer our boys don't need any special preparation—they say he can pick it up by himself. Of course, he can pick up a great deal; but if he has good instruction, how much more he will know. I again make the urgent plea to keep the boy on the farm, by making the outlook for him as you can. You can not do so by keeping his ears tingling with the story of your reverses and bad ventures, but by dwelling on the sunny side, by telling him some of your successes.

Don't encourage your boy to be always hunting that "soft snap" in town, for the most of them turn out to be nothing but hard propositions.

There may be more in your boys than you thought, and you should give them opportunity to show you that there is.

The more parents that do this, the fewer run-down and unproductive farms there will be in the future.

QUICK'S LIVER & BLOOD PILLS
Will cleanse your liver and purify your blood and make you feel like a new man.

"Girl With Gray-Green Eyes"

Miss Elizabeth Magie, "the girl with the gray-green eyes," who a few years ago attracted world-wide attention by offering herself to the highest bidder, has started Chicago with a sociological dissertation entitled, "A graphic description of hell by one who is actually in it."

Miss Magie, in this new declaration, pictures the servitude in which she says the masses of the American people are living and tells of the suffering, hardships, embarrassments and unpleasantness she has endured because she is self supporting. Here are some of her edgemoths:

"It is hell to have a superior education and to have to work for and obey the commands of ignorance."

"To have a sensitive and refined nature and have to be forever brushing up against pigs."

"To have an ear for fine music and have to be tortured by street organs."

"To know that you can do some things better than other people and have to live in a little six by ten room."

"To hang on to a street car strap, with several bundles under your other arm, and see silver-harnessed bulldogs riding in automobiles."

"To pray for an 'angel' and get a devil."

"To crave the society of clean, cultured people and have the janitor invite you to an amusement park."

"To love the best candy and never have any."

"To have a clear conscience and a clean record and go to bed hungry."

"To have long-faced, sanctimonious cusses tell you that 'the Lord loveth whom he chasteneth.'"

"To be always in debt to the landlady."

"To have these everlasting 'don't worry' and 'keep smiling' signs staring you in the face when you don't know where your next meal is coming from."

BOARD IS FORMED TO REDISTRICT STATE

Gov. Willson Selects Committee To Make Senatorial and Legislative Districts.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 5.—More important to the welfare of Kentucky than any act he has performed since he has been the State's Chief Executive was the appointment by Gov. Willson to-day of a committee bi-partisan in the political complexion to prepare a measure for the consideration of the next General Assembly, redistricting the State into Senatorial and Legislative districts, in accordance with the Constitution, the geography and the census.

JUDGE HUMPHREY CHAIRMAN.
Judge Alex P. Humphrey, of Louisville, a Democrat, is named as chairman of the committee. The other members are Col. Andrew Cowan, Louisville, Republican; Col. John R. Allen, Lexington, Democrat; O. H. Waddle, Somerset, Republican; John F. Hager, Ashland, Democrat; F. L. Edelen, Frankfort, Republican; John F. Shelby, Lexington, Democrat; L. J. Crawford, Newport, Republican; Jere Sullivan, Richmond, Democrat; C. U. McElroy, Bowling Green, Republican.

Mr. Shelby is the Democratic member of the State Board of Election Commissioners, and Mr. Sullivan was the Democratic leader of the last House of Representatives.

The Governor says that as there is no provision of law to pay the expenses of the committee he shall be glad to ask the General Assembly, if it approves the result of the labors, to pay the necessary expenses incurred in making the preliminary investigations.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

A Corset String Trust.

Now the corset trust has taken a steel-ribbed grip upon the neck of the down-trodden and garrotted it with linen strings. But the squeezed and gasping common people have found a champion. A Chicago dispatch to the Cincinnati Enquirer says: "The Retailers' Commercial Union has come to its rescue with lance in rest and determined to enforce the rule of trade that 'Free strings go with the corset.' At the Grand Pacific hotel to-day a shot was fired that will be heard around the world. It was this: Resolved, That a corset lace is a part of the original construction and as necessary to the corset as laces in a shoe or buttons on a man's trousers and coat, and should not be considered a by-product for which extra charge should be made; and that we vigorously condemn all manufacturers in the corset trust for refusing to include a pair of laces in the sale of each corset. Liberty shrieked for several hours before the declaration of war was complete, but all the speeches were on the one side. It was a meeting of the executive committee of the union which has for its purpose collective buying by retailers in the middle west. The pull-back on the corset strings was denounced by President W. H. Gerner, of Farmington, Iowa, as 'unfair, unjust and illegal and an injury to the middle classes and laboring people who stand the burden of the extra cost.' 'A long pull and a strong pull and pull altogether on the corset string and we will break the trust' backbone," said another speaker."

Most Damaging of All Policies.

Free-Trade is the most damaging of all policies, when considered in reference to American wage-earners, because it condemns them to direct and hopeless competition with the ill-paid labor of the Old World. It is the American public that largely supports American industries, and the value of the product of our mills and factories equals the combined manufactures of Great Britain, Germany and France. Good wages are essential to a right standard of living, and upon the maintenance of such wages our national welfare depends. The effect of putting American labor into direct competition with cheap labor in Europe and the Orient would be disastrous.

MEN-DEN-HALL'S CHILL TONIC

Best for Malaria, Chills and Fever. Guaranteed.

What Shall We Be.

What shall it be? The Superintendent looked at the committee, the committee was at sea. After some moments of silent thought, while not were anxiously waiting and time was passing fast, Old Stonewall says "I have solved the problem at last, a candy pulling we shall have as sim-

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You'll find a coupon like this in every sanitary sealed package of Mother's Cereals. The label guarantees that the products are the finest obtainable in America. The package warrants that the contents are weatherproof, and will remain sweet and fresh in any temperature and in any climate. By saving these coupons, you can secure a Mother's Oats Fireless Cooker absolutely free. Saving the coupons will in the end save you 80 per cent of your fuel bill and even more of the bother of cooking. Ask your grocer to tell you all about the Cooker and about us. If he doesn't keep Mother's Cereals send us his name and yours and we will send you free a useful souvenir. Here is a list of Mother's Cereals:

Mother's Oats (regular and family sizes)
Mother's Corn Meal (white or yellow)
Mother's Wheat Hearts (the cream of the wheat)

Mother's Hominy Grits
Mother's Corn Flakes (toasted)

Mother's Coarse Pearl Hominy
Mother's Old Fashioned Steel Cut Oatmeal
Mother's Old Fashioned Graham Flour

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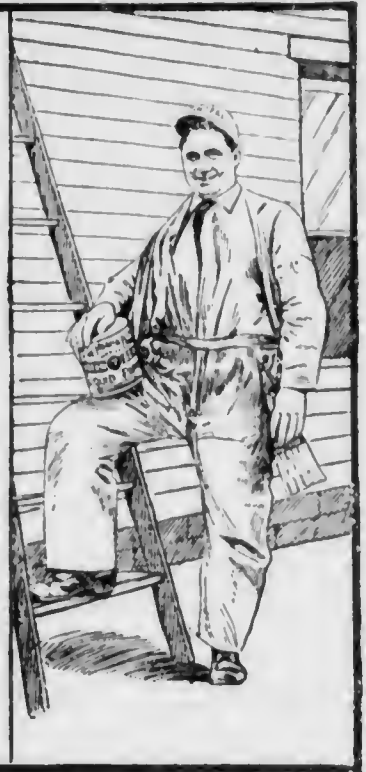
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is without doubt the most efficient house paint on the market, and is *cheapest in the end*, in that it will go further and wear longer than other paints. Only the best materials are used, with WHITE LEAD AS THE PREDOMINANT PIGMENT, tempered with just enough zinc to prevent chalking quickly, as is the case where lead alone is used.

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We are going to send twenty young women between the ages of 16 and 50, (white, of good character), on a two months' tour to the Mediterranean. The Azores, Madeira, Gibraltar, Morocco, Southern France and Italy. We will pay all expenses of every kind for a thorough, enjoyable trip.

The Tour Will Be Personally Conducted

Write to the Tour Department, The Herald, Louisville, Ky., For Full Information.

Marguerite, of Evansville, Ind., were the guests of their uncle, Rev. T. J. Acton and family Friday.

Mrs. G. H. Lawrence and daughter, Miss Ellen, Beaver Dam, returned home Saturday, after a week's visit with friends in this community.

Mrs. Ellen Jamison, Richland, Ind., and Mrs. Columbia Allen, Narrows, visited Mrs. C. C. White and family Monday.

Rev. T. J. Acton filled Bro. Lawrence's appointment at Mt. Zion Sunday.

Miss Crema White is having the chills.

Miss Bessie F. Acton spent the day Monday with her mother, Mrs. C. C. White.

Mr. George Crumes and Miss Myrtle Miller, Horse Branch, were married at Morgantown during the Fair. They returned home September 27, and will make their future home near Salem. They have the best wishes of their many friends.

Oldest House in Kentucky.

A Scott county woman, who recently visited Crab Orchard Springs, sends in the following:

Situated on a prominence in Lincoln county, with Mildose Mountains in the distance, is said to be the oldest brick house in Kentucky, having been built between the years 1783 and 1790 by Col. William Whitney, the grand-father of Mrs. Mary Moore, of Georgetown. In the front room, then known as the "big" room, Col. Whitney met with and entertained the Indians when making a treaty

with them regarding the capture of white women and children. In this same room on the high mantle are thirteen stars, representing the thirteen States then in the Union, Kentucky at that time being a portion of Virginia. The woodwork is all hand-carved and on the stairway is carved at each step an eagle with an olive branch in its mouth. The attic, quite a low structure, was the ballroom and from the small windows at each end, it is told, the whites fired on the Indians when with hostile intentions they were around the premises.

The brick of which the house was built were burned near by and in diamond shape are placed glazed brick to add to the quaintness of the structure. It is said a farm was paid for the brick and a number of barrels of whisky were given to build the house. The chimney in one room is twelve feet wide, the walls of the house being two feet thick. The doors are two ply with metal between to insure safety from the enemy.

The farm contains 130 acres, now owned by Mrs. Gallie Pennington, who takes pleasure in showing strangers through the entire house gives them in her affable way what information she can about her quaint and much loved home.—Georgetown Times.

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C. M. BARNETT EDITOR

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Hough River... 22.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Representative—W. S. Dean.
For Circuit Clerk—E. G. Barrass.
For County Judge—R. R. Weddell.
For County Clerk—W. S. Tinsley.
For County Attorney—C. E. Smith.
For Sheriff—T. H. Black.
For Assessor—Bernard Felix.
For School Supt.—Henry Leach.
For Jailer—W. P. Midkiff.
For Surveyor—C. S. Moxley.
For Coroner—Dr. A. H. Riley.

FOR MAGISTRATE.

1. Hartford District—B. S. Chamberlin.
2. Beaver Dam District—O. E. Scott.
3. Rockport District—John H. Miles.
4. Centertown District—J. C. Jackson.
5. Rosine District—M. C. Cook.
6. Sulphur Springs District—J. J. Graham.
7. Fordsville District—C. V. Miles.
8. Bartlett District—No nominee.

Mr. Taft is in the heart of the banquet belt.

Dr. Cook has beaten Peary about a year to the box office.

A vote for the Republican ticket for the county offices will be one placed in the right spot.

Perhaps the reason poor boys succeed oftener than rich ones is the fact that they are compelled to.

It is said that only 3000 Smiths attended the Smith family reunion at Seattle. The others were doubtless calling on the Joneses.

The latest developments in the Cook-Peary controversy show that the camera as well as figures can be made to jockey with the truth.

The "Teddy Lion" is scheduled to be the one irresistible Christmas toy. It seems that the Teddy toys always get the biggest majorities somehow.

A writer repudiates that Miss Mary Harriman is to be another Helen Gould. That will be a long ways ahead of attempting to be a foreign princess.

Look for the log cabin and place your "X" under it the election officers will do the counting, and you will have no reason to regret your actions.

The indication for the election of every member of the Republican County ticket grows brighter each day and it seems to be only a question of majorities.

Mr. Bryan announces that he will not debate with Mr. Bailey, because it might hurt the chances of his party. What chances does Mr. Bryan have reference to any way?

Our neighbors over at Central City have nominated two tickets to be voted for at the November election. Dr. Jim Woodburn heading one ticket for Mayor with Dan Hill (for Judge) and C. W. Wells, saloon man heads the other ticket with B. E. Creed for judge.

Voters in Ohio County should not forget that they will be called upon this time to vote upon the Constitutional Amendment, which is known as the Good Roads Amendment and its adoption will mean much to the State of Kentucky in the future. Everyone should vote for it.

W. O. Smith, Democratic nominee for Legislature in Muhlenburg county, has been pulled off the track and J. F. Richardson put in his stead. Smith was the nominee two years ago, being then president of the United Mine Workers in District 23, and it was thought that his prestige with that organization would make him a sure winner but Taggart was elected with ease. Now that Smith is down and out as president of District 23 the Democracy has no further use for him and he is cast aside as a thoroughly sucked lemon.

Dr. A. B. Riley has been nominated by petition to fill the vacancy on the Republican ticket for the office of Coroner. This office should always be held by a physician and Dr. Riley is well qualified and deserving of the support of all Ohio county Republicans.

He promises if elected to give new dignity and importance to this office which has heretofore been given little attention by the people because of the infrequency with which this officer is called to perform his duties, even though occasion demanded it. Dr. Riley will be elected by a handsome majority.

It Pays to Be a Demagogue.

No Tariff bill or revenue measure of any kind was ever faultless, but the so-called Aldrich bill was as nearly right as could be expected from any source. The work of such men as Kelly and Haskell and Dingley and McKinley and Reed and Cannon continues to form the malum part of the law. It is the embodiment of the best knowledge of the constructive party of the nation since its organization. It is not an invention of Aldrich or any other one man. It is a transcription by a committee of which Aldrich was the head—a transcription of all the party's past work on the Protective and revenue Tariff, with here the practice on the basis of recent industrial changes. Mr. Bristow threw some nice hysterics in favor of reducing the Tariff on the lead because it occurred to him that Kansas farmers used lead in painting their barns and did not produce any lead themselves. By the same rule of conduct he voted to keep up the Tariff on hides because he figured that Kansas farmers raised hides and did not buy any. Here is where he parted from his creator, La Follette, who insisted that hides should come in free for fear the packers were making money out of the hide business. It must be that it pays to be a demagogue or so many nice men would not work at it. But it's rough on the people.—Kansas City "Journal."

PAID.

Mrs. Buck Flener whose illness was mentioned in the last issue is able to be out again.

The infant son of Mr. George Russell is quite sick.

Mr. Orville Coy is building a new addition to his residence.

Mrs. Rosa DeWeese, of Butler County, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Martha Berry, at this place.

Mrs. Nelson and children, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Coy for the past two months, returned to her home at St. Louis, last week.

Our friend, Mr. Bartlett has sold his farm and moved to Taffy.

Messrs. Kilt and Everitt Berry, who have been hauling logs to Dundee returned home Saturday night.

Mr. John Dodson went to Owensboro, last Thursday.

Mr. E. E. Durbin and John Hunter have moved their saw mill to Hartford.

Mrs. Rosa DeWeese, Mrs. Martha and Mary Berry were the guests of Mrs. Mary White last Wednesday.

Mr. Arthur and Charlie Feemster went to Sunnydale Friday.

Our school is getting along nicely, with Mr. Ernest Duke teacher.

Little Miss Lillian Hines, who was hurt a few days ago, is getting along as well as could be expected.

Little Bailey White, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. White, happened to a very painful accident last Sunday, cutting his hand severely on broken glass.

Bro. Haugh's big tent meeting commenced last Saturday night at Sunnydale.

WHITESVILLE.

(Too Late for Last Week.)

Oct. 6.—D. M. Perry & Co.'s man was here this week, taking up the seeds left over from last spring.

Mrs. J. L. Carter attended the fair at Owensboro Tuesday.

Mr. J. J. Midkiff is having a new house erected on his farm near town.

Mr. Oscar Taylor has sold his farm to Fount Smith and will leave for the South or West soon.

Mr. Herman Taylor has a very painful wound inflicted in his heel last week with a corn cutter and was taken to Dr. Edge's office where his wound was dressed.

Prof. McCormick, principal of the common school here, is having a good attendance and is well liked by all.

Mr. James Huff has moved into Mr. Owen Bartlett's property.

Quite a number from here are attending the fair at Owensboro this week.

Mr. McKinzie Ralph, whose health has been failing for some time, will leave for Arizona or Colorado sometime next week.

The regular services were held at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday.

Horn to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Tichen on Friday a fine ten pound girl.

Dr. Edge attending physician.

Mr. Robert Wells, who has been suffering very severely for the past six weeks of heart trouble, died Sunday evening at 3 o'clock and was entered at the Kates' burying ground Monday.

WYSOX.

(Too Late for Last Week.)

Bro. Tuck filled his regular appointment Sat., night, Sunday and Sunday night at the Christian church.

Mrs. Laura Kennedy, who has been very ill is improving.

Mr. Lee Nelson and Mr. Jess Baggerly went to Muhlenburg, fox hunting Saturday night.

Mr. Evan Davenport moved to his place Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Pearl Davenport went to the spelling at Oakland, Friday night.

Mr. Sen Taylor went to Hartford Tuesday.

Mrs. Eabra Nelson spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother.

Mrs. Shelby Nelson spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. John Knight.

Mrs. R. V. Davenport and Mr. John Green visited Mrs. Tom Gruff Tuesday.

R. V. Davenport and Shelby Nelson went to Beaver Dam Thursday.

Mr. Jim Payton and mother returned home from Indiana last Monday, where they have been visiting for the past two weeks.

Mr. Logan Smith and family took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bennett Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Taylor is visiting her daughter at this writing.

Several from this place attended Mr. Jake Shown's trial at Hartford Saturday. He was fined \$5.00 and cost.

Mr. R. Y. Davenport is preparing to paint his house.

Mrs. R. V. Davenport spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Shelby Nelson.

Mrs. Linda Simpson moved to Bowling Green to educate her three daughters in the Normal School.

Miss Pearl Baggerly spent from Saturday until Monday with her brother, Mr. Cliff Baggerly.

Miss Elsie Sanders is staying with Mr. Fox Brown.

Mrs. Betsie Mary Swain Beayer Dam, is visiting friends and relatives in this neighborhood.

Mr. C. Berryman gave his sister, Miss Etie, a birthday and pound supper Wednesday night.

New Grocery Store.

I have purchased the grocery interests of Messrs. Dillard Schroeter and J. K. Alvey in the firm of Schroeder & Co., and have transferred the stock to Union Street, opposite the City Bakery, where I have added to the stock and opened up a splendid line of groceries. I will keep the best in my line and sell at the lowest prices. Orders by telephone given prompt attention. Goods delivered free in Hartford. Give me your orders and I will treat you right.

NOAH WHITE.

MAGAN.

Oct. 12.—Miss Lula Midkiff and brothers, Prest and Leeman, who have typhoid fever, are getting along nicely.

Mr. C. E. Miller and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Almon Duke of Palo.

Several from this place attended the Owensboro fair last week.

Mrs. John Muffett and Mrs. L. Denton were the guests of relatives and friends in Owensboro Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Manda Westerfield was the guest of relatives in Owensboro Thursday and Friday. They attended the fair.

Miss Emma Lee Wright returned home Saturday after three weeks visit to relatives in Owensboro. She was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Lucy Miller who is the guest of her sister Mrs. H. C. Wright and family.

The stork made a call at Mrs. Daniel Midkiff's the 9th, and left a boy baby.

Notice to Hog Raisers.

The A. S. of E. Stock Committee can place two or three ear loads of stock hogs weighing from 90 to 150 pounds, if reported immediately.

SILAS STEVENS,

L. B. TICHENOR,

J. M. SHULTZ,

Stock Committee.

Fine Ohio County Hogs.

At the recent State Fairs held in Kentucky and Tennessee, Bardwell & Barnard, of McHenry, Ohio County took a fine string of premiums on their Duroc-Jersey hogs. In fact very few people know that we have in Ohio county the finest breed of Duroc-Jersey hogs probably to be found in the United States. This swine farm was established a few years ago by Messrs. M. M. Bardwell and H. R. Barnard and they have built up by careful breeding, a herd of several hundred hogs of this breed which can top anything to be shown in any of the State Fairs in the United States. In the Kentucky State Fair they took fourteen ribbons, while in Tennessee State Fair they carried away sixteen ribbons and easily outclassed all other exhibitors in their line.

NOTED BY A TOURIST.

Some of the queer things that were observed abroad.

About half one's time in traveling abroad is spent in buying stamps. No matter how many I put on a letter I had no faith to believe that it would reach America. I found that I could send a letter with one stamp on it if I paid enough for it, also that I could get a denomination of which it would take twenty. In Cairo I put fifteen sphinxes and pyramids on the front of a letter and five on the back. As for postal cards, imagine asking for one in the Belgian language—Wereidpost-vereeniging?

But it is in a Mohammedan country that an American mind needs readjustment. We woke one morning in Constantinople and found our calendar nine days ahead of theirs, our watches seven hours behind and the name of the month Ramadan. The Mohammedans seem to live up to their religion in a more definite way than we do, and we soon learned what to expect. The porter would drop one's trunk when the muezzin called to prayer. The sacredness of animal life compelled us to walk around the hundreds of lazy dogs asleep on the sidewalk. We were required to take off our shoes instead of our hats when entering a mosque. Women were not allowed to pray, because they "have no souls." Friday was the day for Sunday, and a camera was an "evil eye" and could not be carried into any sacred place. Our artist was once charged 20 cents extra for keeping an evil eye in his room all night.

Before the journey ends the tourist has lost his identity completely. At first he is from "Kalamazoo, Mich.," then from "Michigan," later "the United States," soon the "States," and the writer was once introduced to a gentleman from Tuscany as "the lady from North America."—Delineator Magazine.

THE KINGFISHER.

A Bird Whose Way is Most Difficult to Observe.

Perhaps there is nothing in nature more difficult to observe than the ways of the kingfisher. Any one may see him glancing down midstream or making his sudden arrow flight from bank to bank under the bright June sunshine, but to track him down to his secret fishing place and watch him at work is a vastly more difficult thing.

You come from the gold clad meadows into the shady river path as into a cathedral aisle. The willows crowd down to the water's edge. In the green reeds a hedge bird is fretting. There is a low twittering song of nestlings all around you. And now, in the shallowest deep of the willow wood, a shrill, piping note cuts the silence, a flash of emerald passes, a kingfisher has gone by on his way to his favorite pool.

A common notion is that he sits perfectly still on some branch overlooking the water, a picture of crafty vigilance. But this is rarely if ever the case. The truth is, says a writer in the London Chronicle, that the kingfisher, like the master he is, sets about his work with an easy surety, almost a nonchalance. Peering down upon him warily through the screen of branches you would judge that the last thing in the world he was thinking about was the gilding brown water below him. He twirls round on his perch, making his vivid green and turquoise and amber plumage scintillate like a dewdrop in the one beam of sunlight that has found him out.

He preens his feathers, stretches a lazy wing now and again, looks about him with a casual eye, and then, as if it were the merest trifling detail in life, he suddenly points his two inch long fishing spear of a bill at the water beneath him, plunges and is gone.

The Surer Way.

"How can we interest her?" "Tell her it's a worthy cause," suggested one.

"Tell her it's getting to be a popular fad," interposed a wiser head.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

One of the luckiest things that can happen to a man is not to count on his luck.—New York Press.

NARROWS.

(Omitted last week for want of space.)

Rev. W. D. Powell, of Louisville, State Sec. of the Kentucky Baptist Mission Board will deliver two sermons here on the morning and afternoon the third Sunday in this month. Dr. Powell is a well known minister and a large crowd is expected to turn out. Dinner on the ground.

Some excitement was created here the first of the week, by the chase and capture of a large wild hog that had been in hiding and preying on cornfields, since sometime in August. The hog escaped from some stock shippers here at the time mentioned, and had been roaming about the unfenced cornfields ever since. The chase had been kept up so long that all the dogs and men in the neighborhood had gained in the pursuit, and he would be eluding capture yet but for his venture, before the dog, into a hog where he mired down and became a helpless captive.

Politics looks good for the Republicans up this way. Our candidates are known to be fit and capable to fill the offices and every Republican is in line for all of them. And on the dead quiet three Democrats have told me that they were tired of playing a losing game and were going to vote with us this time.

Ordinance of the City Council

The City Council of the City of Hartford, Kentucky, do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That there is hereby created and established a franchise or privilege to erect, operate and maintain a telephone exchange, embracing central office apparatus, telephone poles, fixtures, cables and wires, through, over and under the streets, sidewalks and alleys of said City of Hartford, Kentucky.

SECTION 2. The said franchise or privilege shall continue for a period of (20) twenty years from and after the time the same shall take effect.

SECTION 3. The purchaser of said franchise or privilege may assign or transfer the same.

SECTION 4. Said poles, fixtures, cables and wires shall be erected and maintained in a substantial and workmanlike manner; said poles shall be neatly painted and shall be located so as not to interfere with the legitimate entrance to any adjoining private property, nor to obstruct the free use of such streets, sidewalks and alleys for the purpose of public travel.

SECTION 5. The purchaser of said franchise or privilege, his successors or assigns, shall promptly replace all paving and macadam that may be disturbed by said purchaser in setting said poles and shall also at said purchaser's own expense remove all dirt and debris that may arise in making excavations for that purpose and all work of setting poles shall be done under the supervision of the Street Committees, and it shall be the duty of such committees to see that the provisions of this ordinance are faithfully complied with.

SECTION 6. The City of Hartford, Ky., shall have the right to place, maintain and operate its fire and police wires upon the poles of said purchaser (within the corporate limits of said City of Hartford, Kentucky) free of charge provided said wires be located on said poles in such a way as not to interfere with the wires of said purchaser.

SECTION 7. The purchaser or his assignee or any person or firm that may operate under this franchise shall have the right to charge not exceeding \$1.25 for residential telephones and not exceeding \$2.00 per month for business or office telephone.

SECTION 8. Said purchaser, his successors or assigns shall indemnify the City of Hartford, Ky., free from any and all damage that may arise from the presence of said poles, fixtures, cables and wires upon, along or under said streets, sidewalks and alleys, or from its failure to comply with the provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 9. If, after said exchange is established, said purchaser, his successors or assigns shall fail to perform the terms and conditions of this ordinance, said City Council may, after giving said purchaser, his successors or assigns reasonable notice of such failure and such failure is not remedied, revoke all rights and privileges granted, and cause the poles and wires and apparatus erected, under this ordinance to be removed.

SECTION 10. Within fifteen (15) days after the approval and publication of this ordinance it shall be the duty of said City Council to advertise through its City Marshal by publishing a notice in a newspaper published in the City of Hartford, Ky., or by posting written or printed notices for a period of ten days in at least three conspicuous places in

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Mrs. Maria Goertz, Orienta, Oklahoma, writes:

"My husband, children and myself have used your medicines, and we always keep them in the house in case of necessity. I was restored to health by this medicine, and Dr. Hartman's invaluable advice and books. People ask about me from different places, and are surprised that I can do all of my household alone, and that I was cured by the doctor of chronic catarrh. My husband was cured of asthma, my daughter of earache and catarrh of the stomach, and my son of catarrh of the throat. When I was sick I weighed 100 pounds; now I weigh 140.

"I have regained my health again, and I cannot thank you enough for your advice. May God give you a long life and bless your work."

said City of Hartford, Kentucky, that bids will be publicly received for the before mentioned franchise or privilege and said City Marshal shall state in said advertisement the time and place (said time shall not be later than the 25th day of November, 1909,) when bids shall be received and said City Marshal shall according to said advertisement, receive such bids and report same to said City Council at its next regular meeting and said City Council shall award said franchise or privilege to the highest and best bidder, subject, however, to the approval of the said City Council. Said advertisement shall reserve the right to reject any and all bids. The bidder to whom said franchise or privilege shall be awarded shall pay the amount of such bids in cash, or certified check to the Treasurer of said City of Hartford, Kentucky, within ten (10) days after such franchise is awarded.

SECTION 11. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved October 11, 1909.

JAMES H. WILLIAMS, Mayor.

GEO. LEWIS, Clerk.

For Sale.

Barber outfit located at Centertown, Ky. Apply to E. M. Davis, Centertown, Ky.

OLATON.

Oct. 13.—Mrs. Nellie Hall and little daughter, Miss Jessie, of Clifton Mills, Ky., left for their home Friday, after spending two weeks with relatives here. They were accompanied to Fordsville by Mrs. J. F. Allen.

Mrs. Crit Hall is on the sick list this week.

Several Olaton people attended the fair at Owensboro last week.

Mrs. Charlie Felix and two children, of Louisiana, arrived here Tuesday and will be the guests of Mrs. Felix's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Daniel.

Mr. John F. Allen, who was kicked by a horse last Sunday, is improving. Dr. Charles W. Felix will move to Olaton this week.

Mr. J. F. Allen, our hustling grocery man, is having his new store house completed, ready for papering this week.

Notice.

We want all Home guards to meet in Hartford, Nov. 6th, 1909. Special notices for a period of ten days in business to be attended to. W. M. Stevens, Beaver Dam, Ky.

"Lest We Forget,"

We have the most complete line of Furniture and House Furnishings in this section of the country and are continually adding to our stock the latest and most up-to-date necessities for the comfort of the home, which is the most sacred spot on earth.

We make a specialty of Sewing Machines, Druggets, Carpets, Matting, Linoleum, Davenport, Side Boards, Writing Desks, Bed Room Suites, Odd Dressers, Wash Stands, Chiffoniers, Hall Trees, Go-Carts, Kitchen Cabinets, Safes, Cupboards, Trunks, Suit Cases, China and Glassware, Tinware, Enamelled Ware, Lamps, Hardware Specialties, Rockers, Chairs, Settees, and in fact, anything to be found in a first-class Furniture Store.

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The only Exclusive Furniture House in Hartford.

A Word To the Teachers

It has been our pleasure in the past to have the Teachers to visit us while attending the Institute. This year we offer a SPECIAL INVITATION TO CALL and SEE US. Our reasons for so doing are many. We want to know you better—we want you to know us better. We want to show you the cheapest line of Ladies Tailored Suits, Skirts, Waists, Millinery, Cloaks, Dress Goods, Men's Suits, Overcoats, Shoes, Shirts, Neckwear, Etc., ever shown here. If our prices are right and our styles what you want, we shall be delighted to sell, and if you do not care to buy, we will again thank you for permitting us to show you our stock.

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THE FAIR DEALERS

Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15.

Illinois Central Railroad—Time Table.

At Beaver Dam Ky.

North Bound. No. 122 due 4:06 a. m. No. 122 due 12:30 p. m. No. 102 due 2:48 p. m.

South Bound. No. 121 due 11:35 a. m. No. 101 due 2:48 p. m. No. 181 due 8:45 p. m.

DENTISTRY



Drs. Hardin & Bell have opened a brand new Dental office over the Republican office in Hartford. All the latest methods in dentistry. We make teeth without the use of the plate. We use the highest grade of material and furnish the highest class of work. We guarantee all of our work. Call and see us. Consultation and Examination Free. Phone 218.

Bring me your eggs. 20c. per dozen. NOAH WHITE.

Mrs. A. S. Yewell, Owensboro, is the guest of friends in Hartford.

Attorney Y. L. Moseley is quite sick at his home on Griffin street.

Rev. J. W. Bruner is at Paducah attending the Baptist Association.

The Hartford Pressing Club cleans and presses both ladies and gents wearing apparel.

Attorney E. M. Woodward, who has been through a siege of typhoid fever, was down in town Wednesday, mixing with his old friends.

Mr. J. R. Phillips lost a valuable mule one day last week as a result of being kicked by a horse. It was so injured that it had to be killed.

Born to the wife of Berry L. Taylor Wednesday noon, a fine girl. Dr. Joe Taylor attending physician. Mother and little one getting along well, and Berry is all smiles.

Seventeen pounds best Granulated Sugar \$1.00. NOAH WHITE.

Little Miss Margaret Taylor, Beaver Dam, was the guest of Mrs. T. M. Taylor, city, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hansell, Medaryville, Ind. are the guests of Mrs. Hansell's father, Rev. T. J. Acton near Olaton.

W. E. Ellis at the Hartford Mill Co.'s planing mill will pay the highest cash prices for eggs and all kinds of poultry.

Mrs. W. C. Overhults, Cedaredge, Colorado, arrived last evening to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Bennett.

Prof. Fred G. Woodburn, who is teaching at Echols, paid us a pleasant call Wednesday while here attending the Teachers' Institute.

Mrs. C. E. Smith, City who has been ill of typhoid fever and bronchial pneumonia for the past seven weeks is slowly improving, though the fever has not yet given away.

BULL DOG PUPPIES FOR SALE.—Make ideal home or farm dogs. Healthy, vigorous, excellent strains. Prices reasonable; within reach of all. Glad to answer inquiries. Payne & Langley, McHenry, Ky.

Z. O. King will discontinue his auction business at Central City, the sale to-morrow, the 16th, being the last which he will offer, in addition to general merchandise, a pair of mules, wagon and harness, Blickensderfer typewriter and many other things of value.

A large quantity of material for the new depot arrived one day this week and the building will soon be well under way. We are informed by a prominent official of the company that Hartford will have the finest depot on any of the L. H. and St. L. lines, with the exception of Owensboro and Henderson. The new structure will be a beauty and up to date in all of its appointments.

Prof. J. S. Mason has resigned his position as Agency Supervisor of the New England Mutual Life Insurance Co., of Boston, Mass., and has accepted three years contract as Principal of the Fordsville Graded School, in the place of Prof. O. L. Shultz, who resigned to accept a position in the Owensboro High School. These are two more of Ohio county's young men who are making good in rapid strides.

Rev. Virgil Elgin will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday and Sunday night and will hereafter preach here morning and night on the first and third Sundays in each month.

Hartford Local, No. 604, of the American Society of Equity, is called to meet at Hartford, Saturday, Oct. 16, 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of transacting important business. Every member of the local is urged to be present.

F. W. PIRTLE, Prest.

Mrs. Aquilla Ann Martin, widow of Mr. Harrison Martin, deceased, died at her residence two miles south of Beaver Dam, Monday night. She had reached an age of about three score and ten years, and her husband preceded her in death some 20 years ago. She was suffering from the infirmities of age, but it is thought her death was hastened by a fall she got from a horse two weeks ago. Her remains were interred in the Paxton cemetery, services being conducted by Rev. R. D. Bennett. She was a good woman and highly esteemed.

WYSOX.

Oct. 13.—"Old Jack frost, with a sprinkle of ice, gave us all a chill last night."

Farmers in this community are busy sowing wheat.

Miss Mary Benton is visiting in Muhlenberg county this week.

Mrs. E. R. Williams and daughter, Miss Maggie, Mrs. John Benton and children, Mrs. Rhoda Swain, were the guest of Mrs. W. P. Bennett last Saturday.

Mrs. R. V. Davenport and daughter, Miss Pearl, and Miss Tena Baughn visited Mrs. J. F. Knight from Friday until Sunday.

The pound supper at Mr. Cline Berryman's given in honor of Miss Effie Berryman's birthday, was quite a success. Those present were: Misses Manie Taylor, Nora Taylor, Powell Jones, Effie Berryman, Kitty Berryman, Lou Berryman, Mary Benton, Minnie Benton, Ethel Taylor, Edith Taylor, Pearl Davenport, Carrie Hill, Susan Elliott, Martha Elliott, Tena Baugh, Gertrude Baugh, Sallie Baugh, Loretta Baugh, Messrs. Cleve Taylor, Thomas Taylor, H. T. Leach, Edgar Taylor, Marvin Taylor, Oli Baugh, Clark Elliott, Cyrus Williams, Ed Crunk, George Crunk, Palace Davenport, Charles Campfield, Willie Lee, Henry Casey, Gus Benton, Roy Newton, all report a nice time.

Mrs. Rhoda Swain, Beaver Dam, visited Mrs. John Benton, of this place, last week.

Mr. A. J. Davenport went to Hartford Monday.

Mrs. Laura Kennedy is ill at this writing.

Mr. R. Y. Davenport is having his house painted.

Mr. Evan Davenport moved to his new home last week.

Mrs. Ruth Whitson, of Paradise, is visiting Miss Carrie Hill this week.

HERBERT.

Oct. 12.—Farmers are very busy sowing rice, grass, etc.

Mr. Henry Chambers and Misses Mary Chambers and Bee Miller went to Thurston yesterday to see Mr. Herbert Haynes, who is very low with consumption. He returned from Colorado Saturday.

Mr. Richie Burton, Owensboro, visited relatives here Sunday.

Misses Myrtle Burdett and Sallie Ford visited Miss Cassie Ewin Saturday night.

Mr. Isaac Crowe is very sick.

Announcements are out for the marriage of Miss Mabel Miller, of this place to Mr. Forrest Chambers, of Hickman county, November 2nd, at Panther Creek church.

Mrs. Dave Bartlett and children, of Whitesville, are the guests of Mr. D. A. Miller.

Mr. Hubert Burdett is expected home from Bowling Green College this week.

Mrs. J. L. Graham, Masonville, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glens and Master Joe Bennett, Owensboro, Mr. and Mrs. Polk Gilmore, of Fordsville, visited the families of D. A. Miller last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Phillips and son, Jannus, visited here last Wednesday.

Mr. Arthur Milligan was the guest of relatives here last week, enroute to LaSalle, Colorado, where he will make his home.

Mr. Frank Head, of Yelvington is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. W. Ford.

The neighbors and friends of Mrs. Amanda Stewart gave her a surprise birthday dinner the 3rd of this month. Quite a crowd was present and a fine dinner served.

Mrs. Sallie Morris and Mr. Arthur Milligan, of Ensar, spent several days with relatives here last week.

Mrs. Hardin Floyd, Mrs. Alice Husk and daughter, spent yesterday at Mr. Carl Floyd's near West Point.

Miss Mary Lambert, the teacher at this place, is attending the Institute at Hartford this week.

THE MAN IN THE STAGE.

A Tragedy of the Olden Days in New York City.

A good many years ago, long before skyscrapers and rapid transit were thought of and New York was just a big growing town, they used to tell a story that was ghastly enough to curdle the blood of the most skeptical and to keep people of nervous temperament awake at nights.

The tale went that of a summer night a husband and wife, returning home from the theater, entered a Fifth Avenue stage far downtown and for many blocks were the only occupants. A little above Fourteenth street, however, the stage came to an abrupt stop, the door was opened, and three young men entered. One of the three had evidently been drinking heavily, for his companions were obliged to help him to his seat. The door was closed behind them, and the stage continued its journey northward.

About ten blocks farther on one of the young men rose and, bidding his friends good night, stopped the stage and alighted. A few minutes later the second of the three said, "Well, good night, Dick," pulled the strap, stepped to the sidewalk and walked off through one of the side streets. There remained in the stage only the husband and wife and the young man who was obviously under the influence of liquor and who sat in a crouching attitude in a corner of the stage under the dim flickering lamp.

After a time the husband noticed that the young man's head seemed to be drooping as if in sleep, and, fearing that he might be borne beyond his destination, he rose, tapped him on the shoulder and called attention to the number of the street they had just passed. There was no response, and the husband repeated his words, leaning over as he did so. Then he suddenly straightened up, turned to his wife and said quickly, "We will get out here."

She began to protest, but he simply repeated the words, pulled the strap and helped her to alight. As they stood under the corner lamppost she turned questioningly and asked him why he insisted on their getting out of the bus so far below their destination.

"Because," he replied, "that young man's throat was cut from ear to ear."

HORSESHOE LUCK.

An Old Myth That Goes Back to the Greeks and Their Sea God.

Of all the emblems for good fortune the horseshoe stands among the first. Everybody knows it is unlucky to pass a horseshoe on the road without picking it up. It is a luck emblem of the greatest power. We are indebted for this statement to old tales centuries in age that have descended from father to son, from mother to daughter, through the years.

The old myths repay research. The luck of the horseshoe has a most respectable beginning. It is traced to the religion of the old Greeks and their sea god, Poseidon, who was identical with the Roman sea god Neptune.

To Poseidon horses were sacred, and to him they were sacrificed. Poseidon was believed to have created the first horse when he struck the ground with his trident and a horse sprang from the hole, which afterward became a spring. The sea god was the lord of springs. To him all springs were ascribed. In the shape of a horse he sometimes wandered by the shores of his ocean domain, and where he struck his hoofs deeply there the waters gushed out and permanent springs were found. This is the reason why horseshoes are reckoned lucky. Going to the root of the matter, one sees a nature myth as the root principle. From the sea all rain comes, and to the sea all springs owe primal origin, and to the rain and the fresh waters, sea derived, we owe all fertility on earth.

The old Greeks therefore worshiped Poseidon as the fortune giver through his springs. They gave him horses, his precious beasts, and they adored the footprints of horses when they found them, for they might be the very footprints of the god himself.

When the horses came to be shod the transition of the luck emblem from the footprint itself to the shoe mark, practically the same thing, was easy.

Pegasus, the winged horse, from whose hoofs the water springs gushed copiously when he came to earth, has been credited with the origin of the horseshoe luck.

The horseshoe was a specific against earthquakes. It would keep a house safe from harm by earth shaking. Again one perceives the sea myth—Poseidon was the shaker of the earth.—Team Owners' Gazette.

Obedient the Autocrat.

That fine old New Englander, Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, laid down the rule that the law of the road enforces a man to two looks at every pretty woman. This fair and proper limit provokes no complaint in Kansas City, and it is not commonly exceeded, though we would have to go far afield to find a locality with more women worth looking at than are seen on the streets of Kansas City every day.—Kansas City Times.

Had All the Others.

"Were you ever in love?" asked the sweet young thing. "No," replied the bachelor, "but you can't mention any other fashionable disease that I haven't had."—Detroit Free Press.

Wanted Harmony.

Soda Fountain Attendant—What flavor, please? Silly Young Thing—Have you anything in pink to match this gown?—Harper's Weekly.

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RENDER.

Oct. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cummins, Dundee, were here last Wednesday, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Longford.

S. A. Bratcher, of Hartford, was here last Wednesday.

Fred Martin, of Taylor Mines, and J. H. Brown, of Central City, were here last Thursday.

Miss Maud Taylor, of Beaver Dam, was here last Thursday, the guest of Miss Katherine Dean.

E. M. Lamastus and Wm. Galtner attended the Owensboro fair last Thursday.

J. C. Campbell, of Central City, and F. O. Allen, of Rosine, were here Friday.

J. W. Mercer went to Beaver Dam Friday.

Berry Hardin and sister, Miss Martha, and Mrs. Belle Parsons and sons, Oscar and Clarence attended the Owensboro fair Friday and Saturday.

H. H. Garmon went to Simmons, Saturday.

William Hardin went to Deanfield Saturday.

Messrs. J. W. Baker and E. M. Hardin and Harry Draper attended the Owensboro fair Saturday and returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kinnison and Mrs. S. E. Lamastus went to Leitchfield Sunday.

There was quite a crowd went from here to Rosine Sunday to attend the dedication services of the new Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Neighbors, of Beaver Dam, were here last Sunday the guest of Mrs. Neighbors' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Francis, S. F. Howey, of Central City, were here yesterday.

Simon Jones was in Hartford on business yesterday.

Misses Sadie Taylor and Edna Williams, of Beaver Dam, were here today.

L. Frances left for Tennessee today.

Born to the wife of E. E. Burton

to-day, a 12 pound boy. Mother and child doing well. Ed is all smiles.

Prof. C. K. Carson is attending the teachers' institute in Hartford this week.

T. O. Baker is on the sick list at this writing.

Forty-Fourth Convention.

Of the Kentucky Sunday School Association, Owensboro, October 22-24, 1909.

Railroad Fare—The fare will be one fare plus twenty-five cents for round trip, except over the L. H. & St. L. Dates of sale October 20, 21 and 22, 1909. Tickets good to leave Owensboro not later than midnight October 25, 1909. See your railroad agent at once about this fare, as these tickets will not be sold from all stations. Credentials—Secure credentials from your county president or county secretary. Every school is entitled to one delegate for each 100 of its enrollment. Each county is entitled to ten delegates at large. Entertainment—All delegates will receive free entertainment on the Harvard plan—lodging and breakfast. Send in your name to Mr. Will T. Sweeney at once, if you desire entertainment and he will assign you to your place of entertainment. Registration—Each delegate is expected to enroll and pay a fee of \$1.00. Select your delegates now. Be sure your school is well represented.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to those who so kindly assisted us in our sad bereavement in the loss of our dear son, Guy Lynn Shaver, who was so suddenly taken from us. We want to especially remember our neighbors and friends for the many flowers spread upon little Guy Lynn's grave. These kindly remembrances will ever be treasured by us and our prayer is that none of you or yours will ever have such a sad misfortune befall you.

W. L. Shaver and Wife.

Tickling in the Throat

"Just a little tickling in the throat!" Is that what troubles you? But it hangs on! Can't get rid of it! Home remedies don't take hold. You need something stronger—a regular medicine, a doctor's medicine. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral contains healing, quieting, and soothing properties of the highest order. Ask your doctor about this. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Constipation positively prevents good health. Then why allow it to continue? An active liver is a great preventive of disease. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. What does your doctor say?

WHAT IS A JOKE?

It is a Serious Business to the Man Who Concocts It.

"There's one thing I thought I knew, but I don't know," said Tommy.

"What is a joke?"

Father picked up his ears, as it were. "A joke," he said slowly, "is something its maker thinks is funny, but nobody else does."

"That explains it then. Today I said an awful queer thing. Mother had a lot of women here, and they talked about clothes. I said: 'A woman's mind is always on clothes. When she ain't talking through her hat she's laughing up her sleeve.' But no one laughed, and I read that one too. Tell me a joke."

"If I were to say when I came home from visiting the cemetery that I had returned from the dead, that would be a joke."

"Is that a practical joke?"

"It is not. It's a grave joke."

"What's a practical joke?"

"If your mother just before going out shopping asked for money and I gave her all she wanted."

"Do you like practical jokes?"

"Not when they're as practical as that."

"Does every one like jokes?"

"Few people do. Most think it is more blessed to give than to receive."

"Then people can't take a joke?"

"There are some who can't. Editors, for instance, rarely take a joke."

"Does any one make money from the writing of jokes?"

"Only the papermakers and the postal department of the government."

"Must a joke be funny to be a joke?"

"Few are."

"Then some are serious?"

"Not exactly. But if you refer to a section as a man of grave affairs some might think you intended to be jocular."

"Is a pun like a joke?"

"Nothing at all. A man who makes a joke is an idiot, whereas a man who makes a pun is a criminal."

"Then the man who writes what he thinks are jokes is a funny fellow?"

"No; it is a serious business with him."

"He has his ups and downs, then?"

"Yes. He gets up courage to write to editors and gets turned down by them."

"You're not referring to the man who writes the column in the papers every day? Surely life is one joke with him."

"No, it isn't. He thinks he's a humorist, but he's a pessimist. He'd rather be a bodacrier."

"Why, does a bodacrier make more money?"

"Well, he has a habit of climbing and often goes higher. Besides, the outdoor work is healthier."

"Isn't joke writing healthy?"

"Not when you're caught at it."

"Can a man write jokes and still be a gentleman?"

"You forget, Tommy, that our remarks are intended for publication and that I have many friends who write. Besides, I sometimes get off a joke or two myself."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The One Who Knows.

"Elijah," said the judge to the defendant, "you have had a fair trial. The prosecuting attorney has shown by circumstantial evidence that cannot be gainsaid that you were in Mr. Brown's chicken coop on the night that his hens disappeared, and your attorney in his speech has practically admitted that the theory of the prosecution is true. Have you anything to say before the court pronounces its decision?"

"Judge," said Elijah, rising politely, "all I got to say is this. I don't know much about the law, but I do know heavenly evidence isn't good, and all these lawyers says is heavenly. I oughter know, for I was the only man in that chicken coop that night, and I's dealed it right erong."—Chicago Post.

An Apology?

A London journal says that a lively discussion once took place in a town council in the north of England. One thing led to another till one of the disputants gave another the lie direct. The insulted party rushed forward, and the pair clinched. At that moment the first man exclaimed, "I reiterate that you are a liar!" To the astonishment of every one, the angry party let go his hold. "Oh, well," he said, "in that case I accept the apology. If a man says he reiterates, that is all any gentleman can ask." He did not understand why the bystanders laughed, but the fight was off.

Anything to Oblige.

While crossing the ocean the two brightly children of very senile parents were scurrying around the deck.

"Tom, dear," said the mother in a weary voice, "the children are too near the railing." But he was too ill to notice, and in sheer desperation his wife nudged him on the arm. "Speak to them, Tom," she said faintly.

"With a wan smile he lifted his head and said, 'Eh—how do you do?'—Ladies' Home Journal.

Village Gossip.

"Is Squire Whetstone considerate of dumb animals?"

"I don't know how he treats 'em," answered St. Simling, "but he certainly speaks mighty kind of 'em when he's engineerin' a horse trade."—Washington Star.

Hilarious.

Clarence—I'm going to ask old Vavassor for his daughter's hand. What's a good way to begin? Algy—Oh, sprig a few other jokes on him first and see how he takes them!—Exchange.

Despotism may govern without faith, but liberty cannot.—De Toqueville.

Three Royal Toasts.

The "Greville Memoirs" tells this story of King William IV. of England and the Duke of Cumberland, his brother: "During dinner loud voices were heard, which soon became more vehement. Both brothers had drunk more than usual, and the duke had lost his temper and his head. Then for the first time King William suspected the idea which from that time was never out of Duke Ernest's mind—that he ought to be the next king of England should no male children survive his brother, William IV. The duke, rising, said: 'Call in the suit. I am proposing a toast. The king's health; God save the king.' The suit came in and drank it. Then the duke said, 'May I also, sir, propose the next toast?' 'Name it, your grace,' replied the king. 'The king's heir,' promptly said the duke, 'and God bless him!'

"A dead silence followed. Then the king, collecting all his energies and wits, stood up and called out, 'The king's heir; God bless her!' Then, throwing the glass over his shoulder, he turned to his brother and exclaimed, 'My crown came with a lass, and my crown will go to a lass!' Every one noticed that the duke did not drink the toast. He left the room abruptly."

A Kind Hearted Waiter.

A surprising experience was that of a lady who received a bit of advice on table etiquette. She is sufficiently free from vanity to tell the story herself. She says:

"I know that I am not a person of impressive appearance. I am inclined to be short and stout and to dress plainly. Still, I had hoped that I had an air of acquaintance with polite society. But now I shall be more modest than ever in my idea of the impression I make upon strangers."

At my first meal at the hotel where I passed last summer I was pleased with the face of my waiter. It was radiant with kindness and good nature. I began my dinner with soup and fish. As the waiter set them in front of me he glanced at the persons of fashionable appearance who were my neighbors at table. His kind heart was suddenly struck with the fear that I might make an unfortunate impression on them. He bent down and whispered in my ear:

"Eat your soup first."

Grooming.

Anciently man thought more highly of his horse than of his womankind. But woman, as it chanced, was crafty. "Why does he esteem his horse better than his wife?" she asked herself and resolutely faced the task of finding out. Her first answer was: "The horse will carry a heavier load."

Her next: "The horse doesn't talk back at him."

But neither of these, somehow, impressed her as being correct.

"Most likely," she declared at length. "It's in the grooming. Well, I'll just be well groomed myself and see."

It was a lucky guess, and from that time forward woman's position rose relatively until in our day the horse has scarcely a look in even at the horse show.—Puck.

Har Darling's Desire.

"My darling," said a fond mother, who believed in appealing to children's tender feelings instead of punishing them, "if you are so naughty you will grieve mamma so that she will get ill and have to lie in bed in a dark room and take nasty medicine, and then she may die and have to be taken away out to the cemetery and be buried, and you!"

The child had become more solemn, but an angelic smile overspread his face at his mother's last words, and, throwing his arms about her neck, he exclaimed:

"Oh, mamma, and may I sit beside the coachman?"—London Queen.

The Age of Man.

It is generally admitted by scientists that men lived on the earth contemporaneously with the big nosed rhinoceros, which became extinct about the beginning of the glacial period. That period, so high an authority as the late John Fiske assures us, probably began not less than 200,000 years ago and came to an end 80,000 years ago. How long man existed on the earth prior to the glacial period we have no means of knowing. New York American.

Puzzled.

Mrs. Gaswell—Who is that man who looked at you as if he knew you? Mrs. Highsome—He is a man who has done some professional work for me once or twice. He's a chiropractor. Mrs. Gaswell—Chiropractor? Oh, yes; I've heard of them. They don't believe in fornication, do they?—Chicago Tribune.

To What Base Ends, Etc.

One of our State street brokers received a note from a customer bearing the cryptic message, "Richard III., act 1, line 138." Turning to the passage he read, "Now, by St. Paul!" and next moment he had given the order.—Boston Transcript.

Useless Prayers.

An earnest young preacher in a remote country village concluded a long and comprehensive supplication by saying, "And now let us pray for those who are dwelling in the uninhabited portions of the earth."

Willing He Should Know.

A certain boastful man asserts that he knows how to play on two cornets at once, and the neighbors say that they do not object to his knowing how, but that he had better not try to do it.

The man who is always trying to find out what people say of him is seldom happy.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Women's Secrets

There is one man in the United States who has perhaps heard more women's secrets than any other man or woman in the country. These secrets are not secrets of guilt or shame, but the secrets of suffering, and they have been confided to Dr. R. V. Pierce in the hope and expectation of advice and help. That few of these women have been disappointed in their expectations is proved by the fact that ninety-eight per cent. of all women treated by Dr. Pierce have been absolutely and altogether cured. Such a record would be remarkable if the cases treated were numbered by hundreds only. But when that record applies to the treatment of more than half-a-million women, in a practice of over 40 years, it is phenomenal, and entitles Dr. Pierce to the gratitude accorded him by women, as the first of specialists in the treatment of women's diseases.

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County Court—W. B. Taylor, Judge. W. S. Tinsley, Clerk; E. M. Woodward, Attorney, Hartford. Court convenes first Monday in each month.

Quarterly Court—Begins on the third Monday in January, April, July and October.

Court of claims—Convenes first Tuesday in January, and on the first Tuesday, in October.

Other Officers—N. Moxley, Surveyor Shreve, S. W. Leach, Assessor, H. Roy, James DeWeese, School Superintendent, Hartford, Jerome Allen, Coroner, Jingo.

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OLD ANNE ROYALL

She Was Once One of the Quaint Characters of Washington.

Old, queer, sharp tongued Anne Royall, traveler, editor and interviewer, was for many years a familiar figure in the streets of Washington, trotting indomitably about her business, very poor, very persistent, often troublesome, often rebuffed, but with qualities of honesty and courage to be respected.

There is given in the story of her life by Sarah Harvey Porter a delightful glimpse of her visit to ex-President Madison and his wife. The contrast between the gracious mature beauty of charming Dolly Madison, elegant in her rustling black silk, and the funny little limping, shabby figure in antiquated skirts and ridiculous wadded bonnet, could scarcely have been enhanced.

As usual, old Anne Royall had tramped to save carriage hire; as usual, her errand, probably none too welcome to her hosts, was to secure an interview and use a descriptive background. But Dolly Madison saw in the absurd, inquisitive, bespattered person before her neither the reporter nor the guy—only an aged and weary woman who was her guest. She hurried to bring her a glass of water, then quite simply stooped and refilled her loosened shoe laces and wiped the Virginia mud from the tired old feet.

It is small wonder that Mrs. Royall's clothes were queer. She was scarcely of a bent of mind frivolously to pursue the fashions had she had the time and money, but she had neither. Her paper, the *Huntress*, of which she was owner, editor and chief reporter, once published conspicuously on the editorial page a notice which is perhaps unique in journalism:

"No paper will be issued from this office this week. We really must take one week once in ten years to fix up our wardrobe, which is getting shabby. Our next issue will welcome congress."

WILD GESE.

They Never Feed Without Throwing Out Scouts or Sentries.

Some of the common sayings concerning wild birds are stupidly wrong.

"You stupid goose!" is an expression constantly heard, yet the goose, whether wild or tame, is most sagacious. Wild geese, for instance, never feed without throwing out scouts or sentries. J. G. Millais describes how he saw a flock of geese feeding with sentries out and how after a time one of the sentries went up to a bird that was feeding and gave it a gentle peck on the back. The latter thereupon left its grazing and went off to take up guard, while the acuity took its turn to feed.

"Gentle as a dove" is such a common proverb that the dove has become the emblem of peace. Quite a mistake, for all the dove and pigeon tribe are great fighters, and in the breeding season the cock birds indulge in battles royal.

The foolish prejudice against all birds of prey includes that pretty little hawk the kestrel. Now, if the kestrel were known as the mouse falcon it is possible that keepers would not invariably shoot it on sight. The kestrel lives mainly on mice and wireworms. It is quite innocent of killing partridges.

In a game preserving district in southern Scotland kestrels were practically exterminated a few years ago. What was the result? Over a tract of country of 1,200 square miles field mice increased in such myriads that the grazing was absolutely ruined. One sheep farmer lost \$8,000 in one year.—*Exchange*.

The Wheel Problem.

Which, at any given moment, is moving forward faster—the top of a coach wheel or the bottom?

The answer to this question seems simple enough, but probably nine persons out of ten, asked at random, would give the wrong reply. It would appear at first sight that the top and bottom must be moving at the same rate—that is, the speed of the carriage. But by a little thought it will be discovered that the bottom of the wheel is in fact, by the direction of its motion around its axis, moving backward. In an opposite direction to that which the carriage is advancing and is consequently stationary in space, while the point on top of the wheel is moving forward with the double velocity of its own motion around the axis and the speed at which the carriage moves.

Cutting.

Lord Chatham said of the members of Lord North's cabinet, "They have brought themselves where ordinary inability never arrives and nothing but first rate geniuses in incapacity can reach."

None is secure from desperation; few from subtlety.—*Byron*.

Making and Earning Money.

"What is the difference between making money and earning money?" asked the youth.

"Sometimes the difference is a trip to the penitentiary for counterfeiting," answered the home grown philosopher.—*Chicago News*.

Enlightening Rollo.

"Father," said little Rollo, "what is an egotist?"

"An egotist, my son, is a burnt match that thinks it was the whole fire-works."—*Washington Star*.

No Danger.

The Lady—I'd buy you a nice pearl-handled knife for your birthday, but I'm superstitious. I'm afraid it would cut our friendship. The Man—Cheer up! No knife a woman buys could ever cut anything.—*Cleveland Leader*.

THE HURRYING BARBER.

Speed Manifested More in the Motions Than in the Results.

"Barbers," remarked the man with the short hair, "are born unable to hurry. Just you go into a shop, as I did the other day, wanting a hair cut, and ask the barber how long it will take. He told me, 'Oh, about twenty minutes!' and I said to go ahead."

"That barber honestly believed he was hurrying, but he couldn't leave out those little snip-snips about the back of the neck they are all so fond of doing, and he had to cut the hair as if he were chiseling priceless marble. When it got to be about half an hour I said to him, 'You're a pretty bad judge of time, aren't you?' He came back with something about not wanting to turn out a poor job."

"I've known it to happen often in the case of shaving. When you tell a barber to hurry he dashes around on the tiled floor at imminent risk of falling, and he splashes the lather into your eyes and your mouth, but the fact remains that he takes as much time as usual to rub the lather into your face and as much time to shave you."

"I begin to believe there is some sort of rule regarding time that all barbers observe, because I have timed them. Once I asked a barber to hurry shaving me, and he had all the motions, but took up just as much time as when he went along at his usual gait. 'I imagine they believe the appearance of speed, and that's the reason they run around so and breathe heavily as if winded when changing from one side of the chair to the other.'—*New York Sun*.

Children of Criminals.

It is a curious fact—one all at variance with the doctrine of heredity, but borne out by police records—that the children of crooks, of all classes, rarely turn out to be crooks themselves. Deeper study of the subject might reveal that they are possessed of the criminal instincts, but that the tragically close example of the punishment and wretchedness that attend a criminal career has been a terrifying deterrent. The fact, at any rate, remains. The rogues' galleries of Scotland Yard, New York and Chicago may be studied in vain for the photographs of a father and a son.—*Argonaut*.

He Did His Part Thoroughly.

In order to avoid an argument with a woman suffragist on the subject of her hobby a happy bachelor gallantly acquiesced in the truth of her assertions.

"But, sir," sternly remarked the spinster, "your admission is anything but creditable to you. What, for instance, have you ever done for the emancipation of woman?"

"Madam," responded the gentleman, with a polite smile and a bow, "I have at least remained a bachelor!"

Seemed All Right.

"Mamma, why don't you want me to play with that Rudeger boy?"

"Because, dear, I know the family. He hasn't good blood in him."

"Why, mamma, he's been vaccinated twice, and it wouldn't take either time."—*Ladies' Home Journal*.

Notice For School Election.

Orders Ohio County Court, Regular Term, 1st day, 7th day of June, 1909, Hon. W. B. Taylor, J. O. C. C., Presiding.

J. W. Reynolds, et al., for Petition & Judgment, Graded Common School election, Pleasant Ridge, Ky.

Petition to County Judge for a Graded Common School.

Pleasant Ridge, Ky., April 1, 1909.

To Hon. W. W. Owen, Judge of the County Court of Davless County, Ky. Sir:—We, the undersigned petitioners, being legal voters and taxpayers in the bounds hereinafter set forth, including parts of both Davless and Ohio counties, respectively petition that you order an election to take the sense of the legal white voters as to whether a Graded Common School shall be established and maintained, by levy and collection for that purpose, of a tax of twenty-five cents on each one hundred dollars worth of property in said district, owned by white persons and by corporations, a poll tax of one dollar on each white inhabitant therein over twenty-one years old, under Sections 100 and following of the Common School Law and 444 and following of the Kentucky Statutes the said district to be bounded as follows, viz:

Beginning at and including J. A. Johnson's farm near Ohio county line; thence to and including Sam Stone's farm; thence to and including J. F. Davis' farm; thence to and including French Bros. farm; thence to and including Ed Anderson's farm; thence to and including Ira Bryant's farm; thence to and including J. C. Ben-farm; thence to and including J. S. Hill's farm; thence up Green Blar creek to Thomas Richardson's farm; thence South-East to the Chase farm, including it; thence to and including W. R. Boyd's farm; thence to and including J. Puckett's farm; thence to and including Larry Thorp's farm; thence to and including J. C. Bennett's farm; thence to and including W. L. Jarnagin's farm; thence to and including Nellie Murray's farm; thence to and including Womer Morgan's farm; thence to Jas. Northern, including him; thence to G.W. Jewell's farm a part of the Thes. Bell farm,

including it; thence to and including Loula French's farm; thence to and including G. W. Jewell's home farm; thence to the B. N. Graves farm, including it; thence to and including M. T. Westerfield's farm; thence to and including A. Hunt's farm; thence to and including Jos. C. Westerfield's farm; thence to the beginning.

Approved by the County Superintendents and Trustees.

The foregoing proposition, as contained in the above petition to establish a Graded Common School District, is hereby approved.

R. L. ALLEN, County Supt. for Davless County, Ky.

JAMES M. DEWEESE, County Supt., for Ohio County, Ky.

We, the undersigned, being legal trustees of such Common School Districts as are indicated below, which, or parts of which are included within the proposed Graded Common School District, do hereby approve the foregoing petition and the proposition therein set forth.

J. W. REYNOLDS, Trustee District No. 10, Div. 5.

We, further represent, that the foregoing boundary embraces Common School District No. 10, Div. 5, and parts of Nos. — and this petition has the approval of a majority of the Trustees of each of said districts and also of the County Superintendent of Schools.

We designated a certain tract or parcel of land situated in the town of Pleasant Ridge, County of Davless, and State of Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stake in the center of the Owensboro and Hartford road and corner with Dr. J. C. Hoover and Mark Thorp's lines; thence South to Stevens' line nine poles; thence along Stevens' line to the center of the Owensboro and Hartford road eleven poles and 10 1/2 feet; thence with the Owensboro and Hartford road to the beginning, containing one-

half acre, more or less, the deed to the same being recorded in Deed Book 56, page 318, in the Davless County Clerk's office, of date, June 15, 1892, as the site of the building for the proposed Graded Common School, and certify that said site is not more than two and one-half miles from any portion of the boundary of the prepared district.

We respectfully subscribe ourselves, your petitioners as set out above, this 1st day of April, 1909.

J. W. Reynolds, and 17 others.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the foregoing petition was regularly filed at the April, 1909, term of this, the Ohio County Court, and the same having lain over for more than one month for exceptions, and none having been filed, or noted thereto, and the Court being sufficiently advised, it is ordered and adjudged by the Court, that the said petition be, and it is hereby granted and approved as filed, and that an election be held for the purpose therein mentioned, at the same time and place as designated by order of judgment of the Davless County Court, viz: at the school house in Pleasant Ridge, Davless County, Ky., on the 15th day of Oct. 1909.

It is further ordered and adjudged by the Court, that said election be held and conducted as per orders and judgment of the Davless County Court and that nothing herein shall conflict with the said judgment of the said Davless County Court, and that, in so far as may be lawful, the judgment of the said Davless County Court shall be the judgment of this Court.

Ordered that this action be continued for report of election, as prescribed by law.

Pursuant to the above order I will cause a poll to be opened at the school house in Pleasant Ridge, Davless County, Ky., for the purpose above set out October 16, 1909.

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THE STAGE IN JAPAN.

Origin of the Drama—Women's Arduous Preparations of Dress.

There is a legend in Japan that the theater had its origin in that country in the ninth century by reason of an earthquake which took place in the province of Yamato. A large crevice was formed by reason of the upheaval, from which emanated poisonous vapors which spread death and destruction all around. An awful scourge was the result until the priests conceived the idea of performing a symbolic dance of incantation on the grass covered hill outside the temple. As if by magic the death vapors vanished, and peace and happiness were restored to the country. The legend concludes that this is how Japanese acting originated. The Japanese word for theater, shibubai, is supposed to have come from its origin, shibubai, meaning sad, and ya, a house.

In Japan when a Japanese lady intends to go to the theater she is called upon the day previous by a hairdresser to build up the artificial structure which is the pride of every Japanese highborn lady. This necessitates her spending the night in her state dress, reclining her head on a wooden block, called makura. A few hours before going to the theater she covers her lips with a thin layer of gold, as it takes several hours for this paint to change into the cherry color which lends charm to the artificial white complexion of the face.

As a rule, Japanese performances last from 6 a. m. to 9 p. m., although certain historical dramas which follow the life of the hero through all his vicissitudes to his death go on for several days.

In Japan, officially, the social position of the actors is that of the lowest class of society, but in reality they enjoy great consideration and are idolized by the general public.—Washington Post.

HUGO AS AN ARTIST.

The Great French Writer's Opinion of His Own Drawings.

When Victor Hugo's "Marion Desormes" was read before the troupe of the Porte-Saint-Martin theater, the actor Laterrière, then a young man, protested against the insignificant role assigned him, in which he would have only ten lines to recite. Hugo promptly reduced him to silence by thundering, "Ten lines of Victor Hugo are something not to be refused—for they endure." Hugo attached a similar exaggerated significance to everything he did and to every object that was in any way associated with him.

For instance, he considered his drawings, which were for the most part commonplace enough, of sufficient importance to make them the subject of a testamentary provision. In his will of Aug. 31, 1881, he wrote, "I give my drawings and everything which shall be drawn by me in the National Library of Paris, which will be one day the library of the United States of Europe."

Hugo's drawings are said to have been produced more often than not in the following manner: If a blot of ink chanced to fall on his paper while he held his pen aloft in quest of a word or rhyme, he enlarged the spot into something like a landscape or a figure, and he continued to enlarge it until he had produced a sinister moonlight scene or a "venerable being" denuded with its leaping ruins the shuddering waters of a river of aged." He elaborated with great care, however, during his lifetime, he had transferred to his sketchbook during his journeys in the valley of the Rhine. Furthermore, being a great lover of children, he drew figures of the most extravagant sort for the amusement of the young people of his household.—Alvan L. Sanborn in Bookman.

Ending a Letter.

The simplicity of "Yours" as a letter ending would have astounded Jeremy Taylor, whose letters to John Evelyn often wind up with perfect triumphs of complexity in this respect. His best is, "Believe me that I am, in great heartiness and dearness of affection, fear sir, your obliged and most affectionate and endeared friend and servant," or "Your very affectionate friend and hearty servant." Even in his shortest perorations of the kind, the

"affectionate" and the "servant" are always the two indispensable words. Probably no man, woman or child would combine these two at the end of a letter today.—London Tatler.

A Division of Labor.

The following dialogue at the Bow county court deserves to be recorded: Witness—One day I had some shrimps to sell, and I asked the plaintiff to help me. He said, "I can't push the barrow because my arm is bad, but if you like I'll come along with you and holler."

Counsel—Why was that? Witness—Well, it's like this, sir. A man can often shout when he can't shove.—London News.

Unreasonable.

"Your baby cries a great deal at night. Can't you do anything for it?" "Your dog barks a good deal. Can't you do anything to stop him?" "Confound it, such unreasonable people as you haven't any right to live in a flat!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

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That the lot or parcel of land lying between the property of W. H. Griffin and Mrs. S. T. Stevens on Main street, and fronting 51½ feet on Main street, and running back 198 feet to Peach Alley on account of its location, and the private property surrounding the said property cannot be used beneficially for public purposes, and is not used for public purposes, and there is no prospect of its so being used in the future, it is therefore deemed and declared by the City Council for the best interest of the said City of Hartford, that said lot be leased to the highest and best bidder for a period of ninety-nine years, and C. M. Barnett, E. E. Birkhead and Mayor Williams are appointed Committee to receive bids for the purchase of said lease of said property, and they will give with notices of said leasing, said notices to be posted up in three or more public places in said town for at least five days before said leasing, and they will sell said lease to the highest and best bidder for cash, the power being reserved to said committee in their sound discretion to reject any, or all, bids, and when said sale has been made and approved by said Committee, the proper authorities of the town are authorized and directed to make deed of lease to and to the party whose bid is approved.

Approved October 12, 1909.

JAMES H. WILLIAMS, Mayor.
GEO. LEWIS, Clerk.

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Ordinance of City Council.

The City Council of the City of Hartford, Kentucky, do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That a concrete pavement of not less than 5 feet in width be constructed on the south side of Washington street, beginning at a point where Market street intersects Washington street at the north-east corner of the Ohio County Jail lot and extending in front of said Jail lot and fronting and abutting on said Washington street a distance of 193 feet to a Main street; and said pavement to be built on the following grade or datum line: Beginning at the intersection of Main and Washington streets s. w. corner of said Ohio County Jail lot at station Zero where the grade is 100; thence east to station Zero plus 48 where the grade is 101.90; thence to station 2 where the grade is 103.60; thence to station 3 where the grade is 105.20; thence to station 4 where the grade is 107.

SECTION 2. That a concrete pavement not less than five feet wide be constructed on the west side of Main street beginning at the east corner of Dr. E. W. Ford's property at the intersection of Main and Walnut street and extending in a Northerly direction continuous to the property of said Ford and fronting and abutting on Main street — feet to the property of Mrs. S. T. Stevens; thence in same direction in front of and contiguous to the property of Mrs. S. T. Stevens and abutting on said street — feet to Cherry alley; thence in same direction and crossing said alley and in front of and contiguous to the property of John A. Duke and fronting and abutting on said street — feet to the property of W. H. Griffin.

Said pavement to be constructed on the following grade: Beginning at the property line between the property of W. H. Griffin and said John A. Duke on Main street at station 1 plus 36 the grade is 107.20; at station 2 the grade is 108.10; at station 2 plus 14½ the grade is 108.41; at station 2 plus 23½ the grade is 108.50; at station 3 the grade is 108.49; at station 2 plus 14½ the grade is 105.48; at station 2 plus 23½ the grade is 105.54; at station 3 the grade is 106.64; at station 4 the grade is 104.34; at station 4 plus 38, where Main intersects Walnut street, the grade is 103.04.

SECTION 4. That all of said concrete pavements ordered to be made and constructed under the provisions of this ordinance shall be constructed according to the following specifications, to-wit: There shall be a foundation of clinders or gravel, well and compactly tamped of 3 inches in thickness, upon which there shall be laid concrete composed of one part best Portland cement, three parts sand and five parts rock and top dressing of lime stone dust in proportion to one part limestone, three parts best Portland

at station 3 the grade is 108.49; at station 3 plus 32 the grade is 108.41; at station 4 the grade is 107.77; at station 4 plus 38 the grade is 106.71; said last station being at the intersection of Main and Walnut streets at the east corner of said Ford's property.

SECTION 3. That a concrete pavement not less than 5 feet in width be constructed on the east side of Main street, beginning at the intersection of Washington and Main streets at the corner of the old Jail lot; thence in the direction of Walnut street and on the east side of Main street with the property of the Ohio County Jail lot; and contiguous to same and fronting and abutting on Main street a distance of 214½ feet to Cherry alley; thence in same direction and across said alley to the property of Maggie Nall, Mary Nall and Jessie Nall and thence in front of said property and contiguous to same and fronting and abutting on said street in same direction 214½ feet to Walnut street. That said concrete pavement be constructed on the following grade or datum line: Beginning at the intersection of Washington street with Main street at the corner of said Jail lot; at station Zero where the grade is 100; at station 1 the grade is 192.76; at station 2 the grade is 105.49; at station 2 plus 14½ the grade is 105.48; at station 2 plus 23½ the grade is 105.54; at station 3 the grade is 106.64; at station 4 the grade is 104.34; at station 4 plus 38, where Main intersects Walnut street, the grade is 103.04.

SECTION 4. That all of said concrete pavements ordered to be made and constructed under the provisions of this ordinance shall be constructed according to the following specifications, to-wit: There shall be a foundation of clinders or gravel, well and compactly tamped of 3 inches in thickness, upon which there shall be laid concrete composed of one part best Portland cement, three parts sand and five parts rock and top dressing of lime stone dust in proportion to one part limestone, three parts best Portland

cement and to be one inch thick.

SECTION 5. That if any of the property or land owners whose property front and abut on the streets and alleys where side walks, or pavements are ordered and directed to be constructed by this ordinance as set out in sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, fail or refuse to make the sidewalks as ordered and directed herein, on or before the 1st day of November, 1909, after the enactment and publication of this ordinance, it shall be the duty of the Marshal of said town to select and appoint three sober, discreet, intelligent and disinterested housekeepers, who after being first duly sworn by the Mayor, or some other officer authorized by law to administer an oath, to faithfully discharge their duties, shall give to each delinquent abutting and fronting land owner who has failed and refused to comply with this ordinance, written notice that they will go upon and assess separately the full value of each lot or portion of lots whose owners fail or refuse to comply with this ordinance, in proportion to the frontage of said lot or lots on said street to the entire length of the whole improvement ordained to be made, not to exceed a square, to cover the expenses of the construction of the work. Said appraisers or assessors shall report their assessment or valuation in writing to the City Council and said Marshal, or supervisors of streets shall advertise the letting of each job of unconstructed sidewalk as may remain unimproved, and unconstructed as above provided herein to be let on a day not more than fifteen days after the report of the appraisers herein to the lowest and best bidder. He will give due notice of the letting of such work by advertising same to be taken separately or as a whole, as he deems best to the said lowest and best bidder, by publication in a newspaper published in said city at least fifteen days before said day of letting. He will require of the contractor or said work to enter into a written contract with the City Council of said town

in which the specifications herein made for each and all of said pavements shall be inserted from such pavements as be shall by his contract undertake to construct. He shall furnish good and sufficient security to be approved by an order of the City Council to faithfully perform his said contract, and said contractor shall have a lien upon the property fronting and abutting on the street where said pavement or sidewalk is to be constructed for the contract price of said work. In the event of the failure of any one to bid for and secure said contract or contracts the said City Council upon such failure will proceed to make said pavements according to the specifications contained in this ordinance, retaining a lien upon said property for the expense of the construction thereof.

SECTION 6. The expense incurred in making and constructing the sidewalk or pavements and grading for same shall be paid by the owners of land fronting and abutting thereon, each lot or a portion of a lot being assessed for full value thereof in proportion to the frontage thereof to the entire length of the whole improvement, not exceeding a square, sufficient to cover the total expense of the work.

Approved 11th day of Oct. 1909.

JAMES H. WILLIAMS, Mayor.
Attest:—GEO. LEWIS, Clerk.

Public Sale.

I will on Monday, Nov. 1st, 1909, about one o'clock p. m., offer for sale by public auction at the court house door in Hartford, Ky., to the highest and best bidder a new house and lot on Clay street, opposite the E. D. Walker place. House has five large rooms, a hall and two verandas. Good outbuildings and barn, a well of never failing water, plenty of fruit trees and grape vines. Lot contains 1-8 acres. Terms one-half cash and balance in six and twelve months time with approved security.

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